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# IRIS and DAYLILIES

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## SUNSET VIEW IRIS GARDENS

(Formerly IRIS-FARM)

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## WELL, FOLKS

Here we are again, but just a little late. We were elected to the State Legislature last fall and it continued in session until this date. We were unable to secure help that could go along with the work so we were delayed in getting out this catalog and for the same reason were unable to send lists of Chrysanthemums of which we had many new varieties. However, we will fill all orders for Chrysanthemums we have on hand.

Next year you will find us in position to handle the business as in the past.

While we have only issued catalogs the past three years, we have received orders from nearly every state. We have many customers who ordered from our first catalog and have continued each year since, sending us larger orders each time. This shows that they have been well pleased with the quality of plants and bulbs sent them.

We appreciate orders, large or small.

We have moved our Gardens to the South edge of Constantine at the intersection of White Pigeon and Washington Streets.

# THE IRIS

## is the Ideal Hardy Perennial

The growing of Iris becomes a habit that continues to grow and grow. You can hardly wait to see the new Iris in bloom.

Iris will grow in almost any soil. Requires little attention. Will thrive in half sun and half shade. Plant from 18 to 24 inches apart, and cover with not more than one inch of dirt.

The best time to plant is from July 1st to September 15th. although they can be planted up to the time the ground freezes. In most instances bulbs planted this year will bloom next.

This year our Iris will all be first year roots which are the best.

ABELARD—Bright mahogany red	25c
ALBERT VICTOR—Rich velvet, vigorous grower	20c
ALCAZAR—Violet tinted bronze	20c
AL-LU-WE—Deep copper peach	20c
ALTA CALIFORNIA—Large fine yellow	30c
AMAZON—A very beautiful red bronze	40c
AMBASSADEUR—Red brown blend	20c
AMENTI—Soft euchre coloring; a delightful flower	25c
APHRODITE—Bright violet pink	20c
AUTUMN HAZE—Deep violet pink	20c
AUTUMN QUEEN—Pure snow white	20c
AVALON—A light brown	20c
ALKAZAR—Bluish white	20c
BALDWIN—Violet shade; large	30c



BERMUDA SAND—Reddish gold; heavily ruffled	\$1.50
BLACK DOUGLAS—Black purple; one of the best	25c
BLACK MAGIC—Blue black; prolific bloomer	20c
BLACK WINGS—Midnight blue; very popular	25c
BLUE HERRON—A good medium blue	20c
BLUE JUNE—Bluish lavender; handsome	25c
B. PALL—Ruffled reddish-lilac	20c
BLUE PETER—Huge flowers; midnight blue	40c
BLUE TRYUMPH—Light blue; large; glossy finish	30c
BUECHLEY GIANT—Silken lavender; large	25c
BLUE SHIMMER—White background with blue polka dots	\$3.00
BLUE VELVET—Deep rich blue; velvet sheen	25c
BRANDY WINE—Large wine blue	20c
BUTTERCUP LANE—Light yellow; heavily ruffled	\$1
CALIFORNIA GOLD—Deep yellow; very fine	25c
CANDLE LIGHT—Soft tint with yellow glow	20c
CAPRICE—Reddish purple	20c
CASTALIA—Light blue; large flowers	25c
CHEERIO—Dull gold and glowing red	30c
CHESTNUT HILL—A deep yellow self; fragrant	60c
CHINA MAID—Soft lilac pink; a favorite	75c
CITY OF LINCOLN—Yellow variegated; best to date	75c
CLARA NOES—Talisman red	20c
CONSTANCE METER—Pink toned	20c
COPPER LUSTER—Coppery shadings; outstanding	35c
CORALI—Raspberry red; very unique	35c
CREPE DE CHENE—Bluish; waved like crepe paper	20c
CROWN JEWEL—Ruffled yellow; striped red	40c
CRYSTAL BEAUTY—Pure white; a beautiful iris	25c
DAUNTLESS—Pure red toned	20c
DAYBREAK—Golden pink; undertones of copper	\$2.00
DEPUTE NOMBLOT—Bronze copper; very fine	20c
DESERT GOLD—Soft yellow; free flowering	20c
DESTINY—Blackish plum-purple; velvety	40c
DOG ROSE—Pinkish with gold beard; tall	25c
DOLLY MADISON—Gray lavender; orange beard	25c
DORE—Yellow and white; extremely handsome	25c
DOROTHY K. WILLIAMSON—Royal purple; just like an orchid	30c
DYNMIA—Blue velvet; attractive	25c
E. DUBAR—White and violet; one you will want	30c
ELEANOR ROOSEVELT—Purple; blooms in fall, also	20c
ELMOHR—Reddish mulberry; ruffled blooms	75c
ELKHART—A deep chestnut red; a large seller	25c
EUPHONY—Rose blush; ruffled	25c
EVENING SPLENDOR—A brilliant pink toned	20c
FAIRY—White bordered blue; early	20c
FAIRYLEA—White blush with lavender trim	20c
FLORA CAMPBELL—Red brown and peach	\$1.25
FLORA ZENOR—Coral pink tone with tangerine beard	\$1.00
FRIEDA MOHR—Deep pink; fragrant	25c
FRANK ADAMS—Maize yellow and deep rose	50c
GAY HUSSAR—Lemon yellow and oxblood red	20c



GLORIO PINK—A beautiful pink	25c
GOLDEN FLAIR—Talisman rose	20c
G. P. BAKER—Yellow; many blooms to stalk	20c
GRACE STURTEVANT—Dark red brown and violet	25c
GRACE LAPHAM—Ruffled pink	25c
GREAT LAKES—The finest blue; a great favorite	75c
GU DRUN—Large pure white; a beauty	25c
HALL No. 13—One of the finest red toned	50c
HALL No. 6—	
HALL No. 2—	
HAPPY DAYS—Giant medium yellow	25c
HAZE PLICATO—Beautiful blue and white plicato	40c
HELIOS—Lemon yellow penciled rose	25c
HYPATHA—Pure blue; a good one	25c
IMPERIAL BLUSH—Largest and finest pink	50c
INDIAN CHIEF—Red tones; very much in demand	25c
INDIAN HILLS—Rich amethyst; huge	50c
IRMA POLLOCK—Carmine; in big demand	25c
JAKE—A glistening white; you will want this	75c
JASMANIA—Banana yellow; to see it is to want it	50c
JEAN CAYEUX—Havana coffee brown	40c
JERRY—A very brilliant red	35c
KING JUBA—Yellow and carmine; a big seller	25c
L. A. WILLIAMSON—Velvety violet purple	20c
LEOTA—White blooms for Memorial Day	20c
LIGHT HOUSE—Old Rose with streams of yellow	50c
LOS ANGELES—Satiny white with blue stitching	40c
MAGENTA—Violet purple; very pretty	20c
MAJENICA—Salmon-tinted pink	\$1.00
MA-MIE—White frilled violet; good	25c
MARQUITA—Large cream veined pink. Declared by all the most beautiful	30c
MARY GEDDES—Salmon orange	20c
MARY GIBSON—Rose-blond blend	30c
MARY SENNI—Salmon orange; red falls	25c
MAY DAY—Glowing apricot orange	40c
MELDORIC—Tall deep rich blue	20c
MICHAEL, JR.—Rich red purple and helitrope	20c
MIDGARD—Pink and yellow blend; you'll like it	30c
MARY E. NICHOLS—Satiny white with overlay of gold; large	60c
MISS CALIFORNIA—Tall lilac pink; a novel flower	50c
MISS LAVENDER—A good lavender	35c
MING YELLOW—Large clear yellow; extraordinary	\$1
MINNIE COLQUITTE—White and wine plicato	\$2.00
MISSOURI—Medium blue; good texture; a favorite in its color	50c
MME. CHEREAU—White frilled blue	20c
MME. GAUDICHAU—Rich velvety purple	25c
MORNING SPLENDOR—Velvety red purple	20c
MOUNT ROYAL—Purple bi-color; gigantic	25c
MRS. J. L. GIBSON—Violet blue; a notable iris	40c
MRS. VALLEY WEST—Lavender bronze	35c
NARANJA—Pure orange color; very pretty	40c
NENE—Soft lilac; very stunning	20c
NIAGARA—Brownish red; a very attractive iris	20c
NOWETA—Soft pink and yellow blend	20c



PAULETE—Lavender blue; gigantic	25c
PEARLINE—A beautiful brownish red	40c
PERSIA—Silvery lavender and dove grey	20c
PEGGY BABINGTON—Deep clear yellow	20c
PEGGY LEE—White and violet	20c
PERSIAN PRINCE—Oxblood red variegata	75c
PICADORE—Tarnished old gold; beautiful in sun	25c
PINK OPAL—Pink lilac; very handsome	25c
PINK SATIN—Pale lavender pink; a sensation	20c
PIUTE—Deep rich red toned	35c
PLUI-D-ORR—Brilliant yellow; lots of bloom	20c
PRAIRIE SUNSET—Blended; pink, apricot, gold and copper	\$1.00
PRINCE BEATRICE—Light blue; a favorite	20c
PROSPERIO—Violet brown; desirable	25c
PROSPERITY—A huge light blue; fine quality	40c
OCTOBER BLAZE—Large red purple	25c
ORIENT PEARL—Silky pearl gray	20c
OZONE—Mauve toned blend with shade of brown; unusual coloring	40c
QUEEN OF MAY—Good old pink; ruffled	25c
RAMSES—Husky golden buff and rosy pink	20c
RED BONNET—Rich dark red	40c
RED DOMINION—Red purple; lustrous violet	20c
RED DOUGLAS—A very large red; the best red	50c
RED MONARCH—Dark reddish effect	30c
RED GLORY—A good red	20c
RHEA—Blue and gold	25c
RHEINGAUPERLE—Apple blossom pink; a good one	40c
ROSY WINGS—Pinkish coppery red; desirable	30c
ROYAL BEAUTY—Deep blue; velvety hue	35c
ROYAL SCOTT—Red trimmed plicato; very large	\$2.00
RUBEO—A glistening red	30c
RUTH POLLOCK—A rich yellow; highly praised	75c
SABLE—Black violet; lustrous silky sheen	\$1.00
SACHEM—Red toned by-color	20c
SANDIA—Bright pink with heavy shadings	25c
SEA DAWN—Ruffled brown blend	20c
SELENE—Large white	20c
SEMINOLE—Red purple; showy	20c
SENSATION—Clear analine blue	25c
SHA JEAN—Creamy standards edged lavender	25c
SHINING WATERS—A clear clean blue; lovely	25c
SHAWANA—Tall yellow; red veining on falls	60c
SIERRA BLUE—A smooth medium blue; vigorous	30c
SIR MICHAEL—Rich red purple	20c
SNOW FLURRY—Tall blue white; ruffled	\$1.00
SNOW KING—One of the best whites; a favorite	30c
SNOQUALMI—Smooth cream; in big demand	50c
SOUTHLAND—Deep golden yellow	20c
SPOKANE—Velvety reddish brown; center gold	30c
SPUN GOLD—Deep golden yellow; large, sensational	\$1.50
SUNSET—Like gold cloth; scented	20c
STAINED GLASS—Red copper, rich and glowing	50c
TIFFANY—Yellow plicato with rose stitching	50c



<b>THEODOLINDA</b> —Satiny white with blue; a fine plicato	40c
<b>TRUE CHARM</b> —Blue lavender; white margin	25c
<b>ULTRA</b> —A marine blue; the best fall bloomer	20c
<b>VALOR</b> —Blue violet; two colors	25c
<b>VIIPURI</b> —White delicately tinted orchid	60c
<b>VERSA COLOR</b> —Pretty lavender; beardless	20c
<b>WABASH</b> —A true white with falls of violet	60c
<b>WAR EAGLE</b> —Rich deep red toned	25c
<b>WASATCH</b> —A glistening white with blue stitching	30c
<b>WELLINGTON</b> —A large rosy purple	40c
<b>WINNESHIEK</b> —Deep midnight blue	25c
<b>WINTER KING</b> —A beautiful white; outstanding	35c
<b>WONDER DAY</b> —Blue; brown cast	30c
<b>WONDERLAND</b> —Brownish red	30c
<b>WORTHINGTON</b> —Harmonious rosy red	\$2.50
<b>W. R. DYKES</b> —Giant yellow; a handsome flower	50c
<b>ZUA</b> —White crepe	25c

### BEGINNER'S COLLECTION

Black Douglas	25c	Crystal Beauty	25c
Blue Peter	40c	Dolly Madison	25c
California Gold	25c	Elkhart	25c
Clara Noes	20c	Imperial Blush	50c
Copper Luster	35c	Indian Hills	50c

The above 10 quality Iris, each one labeled for only \$2.50 postpaid. Catalog price \$3.20.

### THE BEST SELECTION

Light House	50c	Missouri	50c
Jasamania	50c	Prairie Sunset	\$1.00
Great Lakes	75c	Royal Scott	\$2.00
Ming Yellow	\$1.00	Spun Gold	\$1.50
Minnie Colquittle	\$2.00	Wabash	60c

The above 10 beautiful iris, each one labeled, for only \$8.00 postpaid. Catalog price \$10.35.

### WONDER COLLECTION

Amazon	40c	Indian Chief	25c
Amenti	25c	Jean Cayeaux	40c
Autumn Haze	20c	King Juba	25c
Avalon	20c	May Day	40c
Black Magic	20c	Midgard	30c
Blue June	25c	Mary E. Nichols	60c
Buttercup Lane	\$1.00	Miss Lavender	35c
Costalia	25c	Mount Royal	25c
China Maid	75c	Mrs. J. L. Gibson	40c
Dog Rose	25c	Piute	35c
E. Dubar	30c	Prosperity	40c
Grace Lapham	25c	Rheingaupele	40c
Gudrun	25c	Rosy Wings	30c
Hypatha	25c	Ruth Pollock	75c
Wasatch	30c	Tiffany	50c

In this connection you may order \$3.25 worth and send \$2.60 or \$6.50 worth and send \$5.00 or you may



have the entire collection of 30 for \$8.00, each one labeled, and sent postpaid. Or we will send the 30, not labeled, for \$7.00.

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**I F N O T**

send us a \$20.00 order for Iris, not including collections, and we will give you absolutely free a year's membership in the American Iris Society—absolutely free.

Dues are \$3.50 per year for Membership Card and quarterly magazine giving information on a great many items of interest to Iris growers.

Mail check to us or direct to American Iris Society, 444 Chestnut St., Nashville 10, Tenn.

## Heemerocallis or Daylilies

Are becoming more popular, due to the appearance of new colors. Unaffected by insects or diseases, they require no spraying or dusting. They can be planted in almost any kind of soil. Bloom largely during the months of June, July and August. They are easy to plant and to grow, growing stronger and more beautiful each year. Daylilies will do well even without care, something that cannot be said about any other flower.

**PLEASE NOTE**

As our stock on many varieties is low, we reserve the right to substitute. Our price is 40c per plant of any variety but if you let us make the choice we will give you 7 nice plants all different, labeled, for \$2.00 postpaid.

We ship from September 1st to October 1st.

<b>AMARILLIS</b>	—Large golden yellow; darker in throat	40c
<b>ANTOINETTE</b>	—Brownish gold	40c
<b>ASHES OF ROSES</b>	—Strawberry and gold	40c
<b>BAGDAD</b>	—Rich brown and gold tones	40c
<b>BARDLAY</b>	—Rich brown and red tones	40c
<b>CERALIO</b>	—Light brown and gold	40c
<b>DAY BREAK</b>	—Reddish gold	40c
<b>ELF</b>	—Pale Rose	40c
<b>FAIR DEAL</b>	—Bycolor. Very pretty	40c
<b>FIESTA</b>	—Dark rose	40c
<b>FIRESIDE</b>	—Rose Red	40c
<b>FLARE</b>	—Reddish	40c
<b>FLORA</b>	—Pale yellow	40c



<b>GEORGE YIELD</b> —Large yellow with brown center	40c
<b>GLORY</b> —A handsome yellow	40c
<b>GOLD DRIFT</b> —Deep gold color	40c
<b>GOLD DROP</b> —Gold blossoms and a heavy bloomer	40c
<b>HAPPY DAY</b> —Gold and orange	40c
<b>HEARTS OF PARIS</b> —Brownish; a beautiful daylily	40c
<b>HYPERION</b> —Large lemon yellow; a favorite	40c
<b>JACK FROST</b> —Mahogany	40c
<b>KORANDO</b> —Cherry red	40c
<b>MARS-A-FIRE</b> —Just like a blaze of fire	40c
<b>MIKADO</b> —Mellow orange; spots of mahogany	40c
<b>MOLLY KANE</b> —Rose	40c
<b>MICHAEL</b> —Brownish red	40c
<b>ORCHID</b> —Beautiful orchid color	40c
<b>SNOW QUEEN</b> —Light yellow	40c
<b>SUNNY SOUTH</b> —Bright yellow	40c
<b>SWALLOW</b> —Yellow with brown tips	40c
<b>VENICE</b> —Red and gold	40c

Colors of Daylilies are very hard to describe.  
Different growers have different descriptions.

## Please Read Before Ordering

### SHIPPING INSTRUCTIONS

In ordering Iris or Daylilies, give second choice as stock is low in some varieties.

On all orders for less than \$2.50 add 15c to help pay postage and packing. All orders for \$2.50 or more, postage or express will be paid.

### LOW PRICES

We are giving you the benefit of low prices as we are not under the expense of getting out an expensive catalog or doing any high price advertising.

### TIME OF SHIPMENT

Iris will be shipped from July 1st to Sept. 15th. Daylilies from September 1st to October 1st.

All our plants are strong, vigorous field grown. They have been State-inspected, protecting against disease.

**ORDER EARLY** as stocks are low on some varieties. We reserve the right to substitute with equal or better quality plants unless advised not to do so.